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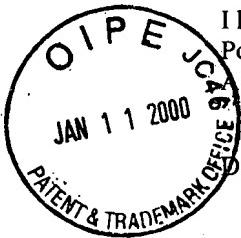
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For: MULTIPLEXING VIDEO AND CONTROL SIGNALS ONTO UTP

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CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION REQUEST TRANSMITTAL

This is a request for a continuation application under 37 CFR 1.53(d), continued prosecution application (CPA) of prior application number 09/072,549, filed on May 5, 1998, entitled MULTIPLEXING VIDEO AND CONTROL SIGNALS ONTO UTP, listing as inventors Lester F. Ludwig and J. Chris Lauwers.

Enter any unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior non-provisional application.

With respect to the above-identified prior non-provisional application, this continued prosecution application is being filed

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Small Entity Status

- [x] A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.

Fee Calculation

FOR:	Number Filed	Less	Number Extra	Small Entity Rate	Fee	Other Than a Small Entity Rate	Fee	Total Claim Fee
Total Claims	31	- 20	11	* \$9		* \$18		99.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3	0	* \$39		* \$78		.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Not Previously Presented					\$130		\$260	
Basic Fee					\$380		\$760	380.00
TOTAL								479.00

Also enclosed are:

- [X] A preliminary amendment
- [X] Information Disclosure Transmittal
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) with Form PTO-1449
- [X] Petition for Extension of Time
- [x] Fee in the amount of \$435.00
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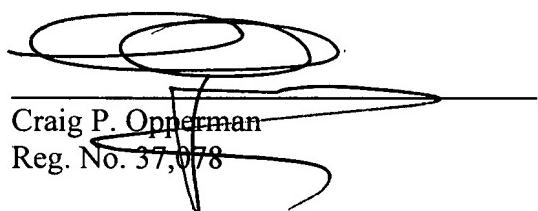
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